## **Special Exception**

## **Application**

Secretary to the Board's Signature



Planning Bullding and Development Room 166, Noel C. Taylor Municipal Building Written Narrative 215 Church Avenue, S.W. Roanoke, Virginia 24011 Development Plan AUG 27 2015 Phone: (540) 853-1730 Fax: (540) 853-1230 Elevation Filing Fee Date: **Property Information:** 50 46 Williamson Roanote Street Address: VA 24012 Official Tax No(s).: Size of Property (acres or square feet): Base Zoning District: | M× Overlay Zoning District: Request for a special exception as set forth in Section 36.2- 3\5 , Zoning, Code of the City of Roanoke (1979), as amended. Applicant is requesting Group care facility, congregate home, elderly care Briefly describe the special facility exception request: Applicant Information: Name: Phone Number: Address: E-Mail: Konnake VA Applicant's Signature: Owner Information: Investing. Name: Phone Number: | 540 - 641 - 2989 1008 MOUTHING DOVE Drive Address: 24060 Owner's Signature: Application accepted as submitted in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 36.2, Zoning, Code of the City of Roanoke (1979), as amended. lay October 14, 2015 Lisa Frontus, MBA, OTR/L 5046 Williamson Rd Roanoke, VA 24012

## Hello,

I'm currently seeking Special Exception for property 5046 Williamson Rd. in Roanoke City, for zoning to include: group care facility, congregate home, elderly. I plan to utilize this property as an Assisted Living Facility for elderly individuals, 55 years of age and older. This property consists of 15 total bedrooms that will be utilized for 30 occupants.

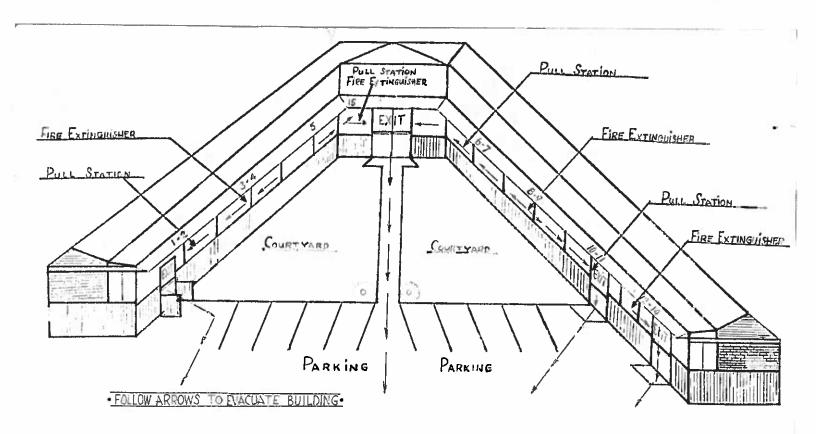
My mission for this facility is to provide elderly residents with personal care assistance in a home like environment in order to maintain their highest level of independence. In doing such, 24 hours of assistance will be provided for daily care and medication management. This facility will also provide therapy services as needed for their residents. Additionally, nursing medical care assistance will also be provided, through the outsourcing of home health companies. In order to meet the needs of our residents, the facility will staff between 5-10 employees.

I believe this business model will be a great addition to Roanoke City. With the rapid rate of our elderly population, this facility will provide an affordable, caring, home like environment to individuals who may not have had other alternatives.

## Six standards required:

- 1. The use is compatible with the character and appearance of the surrounding neighborhood by virtue of its height, bulk, location on the lot, and the design and location of parking, signage, landscaping, and other outside activities or structures:
  - This facility will meet the character and appearance requirement as it is a pre-existing establishment, built in accordance with surrounding buildings.
  - No exterior changes will be made to the building; tenant may restripe parking lines in the parking lot
  - Tenant plan to reface existing signage to include new business name
  - Interior cosmetic improvements to be made

- 2. The use does not create a demand on public water or sanitary sewer services that exceeds the design capacity of these systems or that would in any way decrease the quality of service to the surrounding neighborhood.
  - This location has been utilized in the past as an assisted living facility and was fully occupied. No additional demand on public water or sanitary sewer services is projected.
- 3. The use does not generate traffic on public streets that exceeds the design capacity of such streets and does not create a dangerous traffic problem by virtue of driveway location, sight clearance, driveway slopes, or other factors:
  - This establishment is not projected to generate increased nuisance of traffic. At least 12 parking spaces are available; only 5 parking spaces are required according to guideline standards.
- 4. The use does not increase the flood potential in the surrounding neighborhood.
  - This location does not increase the potential for flooding
- 5. The use is in conformation with the setback, yard, frontage, lot area, parking, signage, screening, shading, and other applicable requirements of the zoning ordinance as they pertain to the district in which the use is located or the specific use, whichever the case may be:
  - The location is in conformation with the setback, yard, frontage, lot area, parking, and signage based on neighboring establishments. The location is compatible with surrounding establishments as a Women's Health Clinic is located next door to this facility.
- 6. The use furthers the intent of the City's Comprehensive Plan.
  - In working in long-term care establishments over the last 10 years, I have noticed the growing need for our elderly population to have a caring and loving atmosphere that promotes dignity and independence. This facility will promote the City's Comprehensive Plan for the elderly as it will focus on providing excellence in care, while allowing individuals to age in a safe, comfortable and loving environment.



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